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ARGUMENTS

Applicant directs the examiner to the distinctions between its device and the prior art cited. Specifically, in the cited prior art, the device is little more than a remote control device with a direct wireless (non-internet) connection to a gaming (gambling device). By contrast the instant device adds wireless functionality to a hand held personal video game device (e.g. Game Boy Advance).

Applicant's smart cartridge includes hardware and software to implement functionalities such as direct wireless connectivity, decoding the internet protocol bitstream, decompression of audio/video digital content, conversion of audio/visual decompressed content into the native format of the hand held personal video game device. Moreover, the smart cartridge is the intended destination of the content, as opposed to a remote system.